



# Configuring EPC Branching

Business processes usually contain multiple process branches: Processes branch off and are merged again. Different paths are possible: Process branches may run parallel and are processed independently of each other or their progress may depend on the occurrence of predefined conditions.

Scheer PAS offers solutions to both options:

	<p>BPaaS 16.08</p> <p>Use the <a href="#">AND Connector</a> for simultaneous running process branches. If, for example, a request has to be processed by several departments, the clerks are able to save their contributions independently of each other and do not lose time waiting for one another.</p> <p><b>The page INTERNAL: _mobile_excerpts was not found</b> -- Please check/update the page name used in the MultiExcerpt-Include macro</p>
	<p>If the next process step depends on the occurrence of a specific event, you need to use the <a href="#">XOR Connector</a> and define the conditions to which the next process step is tied.</p>

There are slight differences in use of the AND and XOR connectors in modeling. Please see the chapters [AND Branching](#) and [XOR Branching](#) for more informations regarding their characteristics.

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